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Ms. Donna Erick Native Village of Venetie Tribal Government P.O. Box 81080 Venetie, AK 99781-0080

Re.: Project 0108-DC-2000-E4

Dear Ms. Erick:

Thank you for your letter dated June 19, 2006, in which you request an amendment to financial assistance award 0108-DC-2000-E4.

Award 0108 was originally to expire on December 31, 2005. At the request of the Native Village of Venetie Tribal Government (NVVTG), the Commission extended the performance period of the award to May 15 to allow additional time for NVVTG to submit a request to the Infrastructure Subcommittee for additional funding. The Subcommittee has met three times during the performance period extension, and we received no proposals to bring before the subcommittee. Award 0108 expired on May 15, 2006. Therefore, we cannot amend it.

In order to seek additional funding, you will need to submit a request with documented justification to the Commission so it can be considered by the Infrastructure Subcommittee. Please document why additional funds are needed (cost overrun, other?), and when costs were incurred for Venetie Force Account AIP #3-02-0439-0101 and Arctic Construction (Pt. 2), AIP #3-02-0022-0602. Also, please indicate if these costs are currently unpaid, or if NVVTG paid them and is seeking reimbursement.

Sincerely,

Kfag Johnsen

**Chief Operating Officer** 

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